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Plant Patent No. 1604

# Thomasville's Roses • Daylilies • Camellias

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# THOMASVILLE NURSERIES, INC.

## **"Home of Roses"**

## THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA



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# Hemerocallis

(DAYLILIES)

## The Perennial Supreme!

The growing of top-quality Daylilies has become a great specialty with us, and many newer varieties are added in this catalog.

Daylily fever is spreading by leaps and bounds, and once you catch it there seems to be no stopping its spread, but nobody wants to. There is no other flower which gives more pure enjoyment than the new Daylily hybrids. They are lovely beyond words, and fit every garden need. There are the cool lemon-yellows, the warm apricots, the lovely lavender-hued flowers, the luscious blends, and then the deep orange tones for accent—the bright reds, the dull reds, the purple and mahogany and brown shades. The range is wide, the size and forms vary widely, and all are lovely.

One of the easiest perennials to grow, adaptable to almost any location, but please provide at least a half day of sunshine.

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**Location.** Office, trial grounds and sales yard at city limits, east, at intersection of Smith Avenue and Pine Tree Boulevard. Leaving city limits, Smith Avenue becomes Boston Road and is a link of U. S. Highway 84.

**Invitation to Visitors.** Visitors are welcome at our nursery every day in the year, and there is no obligation to purchase. See Roses in the large Test Garden of Sam Hjort at 1840 Smith Ave., adjoining main nursery, April through October; Daylilies March through summer, and Camellias November through February. Flowering Trees, including a fine collection of Oriental Magnolias, are an added attraction.

**Substitution.** Usually we can fill order complete with first-choice varieties. But as the season advances, when a variety is sold out we will substitute one of equal or greater value, unless instructed not to do so.

**Prices** in this catalog cancel all previous quotations. Roses, Daylilies, Liriope, Violets, Daisies and Stokesias are shipped by prepaid parcel post. Camellias, Azaleas and balled plants are shipped by express collect. Terms are cash with order, or satisfactory references.

**Minimum Order.** To any orders of less than \$3.50 please add 50c to help pay handling. Georgia customers please add 3 percent sales tax to total of plants.

**Guarantee.** We guarantee all plants to be up to grade, properly dug and packed, and shipped according to instructions. Most people who pay their good money for plants set them carefully and tend them properly. Instructions for planting and care accompany every shipment. We do not make a blanket guarantee that our plants will live, but we will adjust satisfactorily any reasonable claim, provided losses are not from weather or other conditions beyond our control, and your claim is filed by July 1.

## Visitors Please Note

We wish to serve everyone in turn and sometimes many cars are at the nursery at one time. In order that salesmen may know who is "next," please give your name at the office upon arrival. The ladies in the office will then see that you are served in turn and as quickly as possible consistent with adequate and courteous attention to all.

### WE ARE MEMBERS OF

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# Foreword . . .

As we send this catalog to press, we rejoice with garden folks of the entire South in one of the best growing seasons in years. Everywhere Camellias, Roses and other plants are luxuriant. The bushes in nursery fields are some of the finest ever, and there are none better than at Thomasville.

Some of the new varieties may well be described as gorgeous—Roses like Kordes Perfecta and Starfire, Camellias such as Marie Bracey and Kramer's Supreme, and finally, Daylilies like Butterfly Wings and Golden Masterpiece. Surely our garden experiences become more fascinating.

The winter last season was a hard one, the most extended cold since 1898, and many of the January and February Camellia Shows were cancelled. There were early blooms of excellent quality, and then the siege of cold for weeks. But the cold was gradual, Camellia bushes were unhurt, many buds escaped injury, and at the end of the season came a big splash of superb flowers. The French have an expression that applies: "Apres la pluie, le beau temps" (After the storm, the beautiful weather).

The quality of blooms at the annual Thomasville Rose Show on April 25 was the best ever, and the plants on the streets, in gardens about the city and in our large Test Garden were in full bloom for the occasion. And in May, Daylilies came in with a mighty array of color.

It seems that everything has a price. While in the Deep South it costs more to keep them clean, especially in a spring and summer somewhat on the wet side, only Roses bloom almost the year 'round. And who loves the Rose but shares in the reverent expression of Ethel Edwards of Tallahassee:

Man can never say with all the art  
of words he knows

What God hath said with silence in  
the beauty of a rose.

To those who have bought plants from us in the past, we wish to express our sincere thanks and to assure you and prospective new customers that for the 1958-59 season the quality is good. We pledge our best efforts to serve well those who favor us in their purchases.

THOMASVILLE NURSERIES, INC.

Sam C. Hjort,  
President

QUEEN  
ELIZABETH  
All-America  
Winner 1955  
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## Plants as Gifts

Roses, Camellias, etc., make delightful gifts to send at Christmas, on birthdays or any special occasions. Such gifts are lasting and become more beautiful as time goes along. Send us your card, or authorize us to write your name on a special one, and we will place in an envelope, attach to the plant, and ship according to your instructions. If you wish, we will forward transportation prepaid and bill you with the actual cost. Please send such orders as far in advance of shipping date as possible. The supplying of gift plants for our customers has become one of our specialties.



CHRYSLER IMPERIAL. All-America Winner 1953  
One of the great Roses of all time

## Hybrid Tea Roses

### These are the large and lovely exhibition Roses

Throughout the years, largely because others usually discussed Hybrid Teas, we put emphasis on Floribundas, Grandifloras and Old-Fashioned Roses. We have been asked if we were really interested in Hybrid Teas.

We try to serve Rose gardeners well, and we are immensely interested in Hybrid Teas. The Hjorts have always loved them—like to grow, exhibit and talk about them. We recall the old days of the first Hybrid Teas and the thrill that came with Radiance, the first of the Tea-like hybrids for the Lower South. And, along with many other people, the thrill at the first sight of Peace, still rated the World's No. 1 Rose. And what an impression a new color like Aztec makes! And several years ago the thrill of Kordes Perfecta, which we were privileged to grow in our test garden and which now goes on sale for the first time.

All the Rose bushes look fine this season. If there is any difference, it is in favor of the Hybrid Teas.

In limited supply we have other varieties than those listed here. We invite and welcome correspondence about any and all roses.



HELEN  
TRAUBEL  
All-America  
Winner 1952

# Hybrid Tea Roses

**Aztec.** Plant Patent 1648. Deep, rich, intense scarlet-orange. The fine buds and large, shapely flowers are near perfection in form; the plant vigorous and well-foliaged. Whoever said the best red Roses are pretty much the same color ought to see this one; it is so different from any other. Anybody will love this one. \$3.00.

**Briarcliff.** Rose-pink; large, double, fragrant. Stiff stems; good growth. \$1.25.

**Charlotte Armstrong.** A truly great Rose, second only to Peace in national popularity. Buds long-pointed, carmine-red; open flower cerise. Long stems; vigorous growth. Should be in every collection of Hybrid Tea Roses. \$2.25.

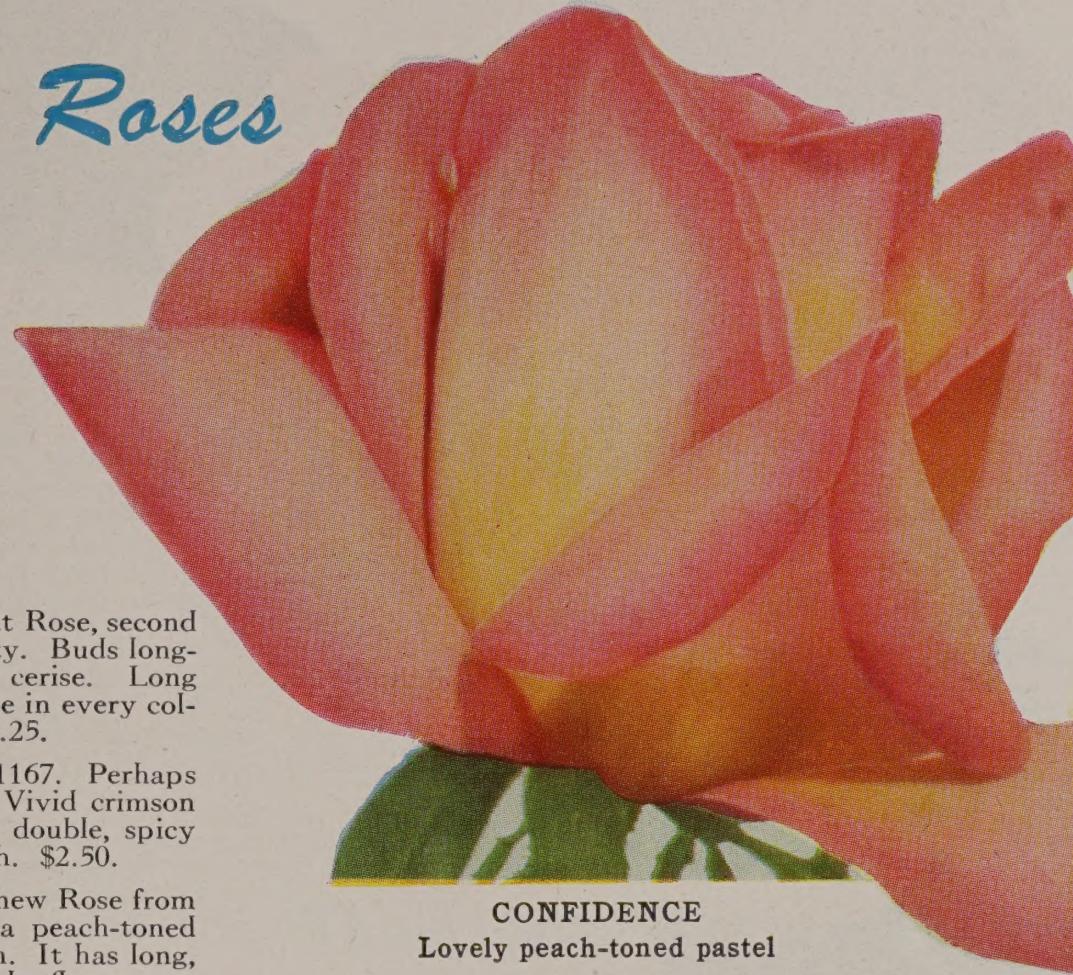
**Chrysler Imperial.** Plant Patent 1167. Perhaps the finest dark red Rose to date. Vivid crimson with darker overtones; large, very double, spicy fragrance. Compact, sturdy growth. \$2.50.

**Confidence.** Plant Patent 1192. A new Rose from the originator of Peace. This is a peach-toned pastel flower of always notable form. It has long, streamlined buds and large double flowers on strong stems. \$2.25.

**Countess Vandal.** Coppery salmon-pink; long-pointed buds and large, high-centered flowers on stiff stems. Vigorous and outstanding, and always a favorite at Thomasville, where many varieties are grown. \$1.50.

**Crimson Glory.** All the name implies. Deep crimson-red; very double; highly fragrant. In a popularity contest the country over, it stood with Peace and Charlotte Armstrong to comprise the top three. \$1.50.

**AZTEC**  
New glowing orange-scarlet



**CONFIDENCE**  
Lovely peach-toned pastel

**Dainty Bess.** Large, single, wild-rose-pink flowers in clusters. Bush vigorous; continuous bloomer. One of the loveliest of all Roses. \$1.50.

**Eclipse.** Long, streamlined buds of deep yellow. Vigorous and thrifty, with abundant foliage. See illustration on page 9. \$1.50.

**Editor McFarland.** Deep pink, comparable to Radiance in growth and flowering. Some stems produce one large flower, but often many stems produce flowers in clusters. If it were a new Rose it would be a Grandiflora, for \$2.50, perhaps \$3.00. As it is, it is \$1.25.

**Etoile de Hollande.** Brilliant crimson. Large, fairly double, fragrant blooms on long stems. Vigorous; continuous bloomer. The most generally successful and satisfactory of non-patented red Roses. \$1.25.

**Golden Dawn.** Bud is sunflower-yellow, flushed with old-rose; flower very double and fragrant, borne on stiff stem. A vigorous bush with abundant foliage. If it were a new Rose we feel sure it would be an All-America Winner for \$2.50, perhaps more. \$1.50.

**Helen Traubel.** Plant Patent 1028. All-America Winner for 1952. A beautiful Rose of vigorous growth, producing many blooms on good stems; long-pointed buds. Color varies with the weather; sometimes it is a lively light pink, often it is salmon-pink or apricot. Always lovely. \$2.75.

**Kaiserin Auguste Viktoria.** White, with slight lemon tint in center. Beautiful bud and large double flower. Some stems produce one large bloom, others produce clusters like a Grandiflora. The most satisfactory of the white non-patented Hybrid Tea Roses. \$1.25.





# Hybrid Tea Roses

**Mirandy.** Plant Patent 632. Very large, double, dark garnet-red; highly fragrant. Upright and vigorous in growth. Usually produces one flower to a stem, eliminating disbudding, and always producing specimen blooms. At Thomasville, where many varieties have been tried, it is a favorite dark red. \$2.25.

**Mission Bells.** Plant Patent 923. All-America Winner for 1950, and one of the most vigorous and rewarding of Roses. Deep shrimp-pink buds, opening to large, salmon-pink flowers. Strong, branched growth,

constantly in bloom. Anyone who can grow Roses at all can grow Mission Bells. For its many good points it deserves a place in every garden. See illustration on page 9. \$2.00.

**Mrs. Charles Bell.** Sport of Radiance, and identical with parent in vigorous growth, freedom of bloom and size of flower. Always dependable, always satisfactory, and easily the best of its color, shell-pink, for the South. See illustration on page 8. \$1.25.

## Join the AMERICAN ROSE SOCIETY AND THE GEORGIA ROSE SOCIETY

Rose lovers everywhere will find membership in the American Rose Society most helpful and interesting. For \$5.50 yearly dues one receives every spring a beautiful illustrated Annual, the monthly American Rose Magazine, each issue full of interesting material, use of the lending library and personal help on Rose problems. We also invite you, wherever you live, to join the Georgia Rose Society, which issues a bi-monthly News Letter, several mimeographed sheets of timely Rose information.

For \$7.00 you will receive membership in both the American Rose Society and the Georgia Rose Society. Remittance should be mailed to Georgia Rose Society, Box 328, Thomasville, Ga. We receive no commissions. Only because these are non-profit organizations is it possible to give so much for \$7.00.

**PEACE**  
All-America Winner 1946  
The World's No. 1 Rose

**Kordes Perfecta.** Plant Patent 1604. The most beautiful and unusual new Rose in years. A creation of the celebrated German rosarian William Kordes, who gave us Crimson Glory and others. An intriguing color combination, completely different from any other variety. The buds begin to show color as petals separate and from then on it is a constantly changing picture—cream-white, lined pink and carmine at edges, deepening throughout as the flower opens to a most pleasing and alluring combination of pink and white suffused with yellow. The free-blooming flowers are large and long-lasting on the plant and when cut. The bush is vigorous, with luxuriant dark green foliage. See illustration on front cover. \$3.50.

**Lady Elgin.** Plant Patent 1469. An intriguing new red-gold variety, different in color from any other Rose. A creation of Francis Meilland of France who gave us Peace and other superb varieties. \$2.50.

**Love Song.** Plant Patent 1360. A most beautiful bicolor Rose, greatly admired in our test garden. The long-pointed buds are deep yellow tinged pink, opening to large, double, deep rose-colored flowers tinged yellow. An upright, sturdy bush with dense foliage. \$2.50.

**Light Editor McFarland.** One of the very finest and most dependable Roses for the South. It is our own light pink sport of Editor McFarland. In growth and habit is exactly like the parent bush, but the flower is lighter and considered by many to be more beautiful than the original. This Rose does exceptionally well in Florida and the Gulf coastal area. \$1.50.

**McGredy's Sunset.** Deep golden yellow, tinged orange; opens clear yellow. Large, heat-resistant flower; strong stem. Heavy foliage on a vigorous plant. At Thomasville a great favorite; many think it the best yellow Hybrid Tea. \$1.50.

# Hybrid Tea Roses

**Nocturne.** Plant Patent 713. Deep cardinal-red; long-pointed buds and large flowers on stiff stems, usually one perfect flower to a stem. Most vigorous of dark reds at Thomasville. In a close race with Mirandy and Crimson Glory, Nocturne is first in popularity in the Southeast. See illustration on page 9. \$2.25.

**Peace.** Plant Patent 591. World's No. 1 Rose. Winner of all top national awards in America, France, England and other countries, and blue ribbons and sweepstakes in shows everywhere. Peace is a strong grower, with large, handsome foliage and produces very large, very double and lasting flowers of soft yellow, flushed and tinged pink. An exquisite Rose. \$2.50.

**Picture.** Long-pointed buds and double, fragrant, rose-pink flowers, produced on a strong bush. An attractive flower for cutting, with good substance and long-lasting qualities. A Southern favorite. \$1.50.

**Pink Peace.** Plant Patent Applied for. Huge, luminous, fragrant blooms of deep pink are borne on long stems on a sturdy bush. A new Rose by Francis Meilland of France, who gave us the famous Peace. \$3.00.

**Poinsettia.** Distinctively different from other reds in color and foliage. Poinsettia-scarlet, double blooms, borne on strong stems. Large foliage; vigorous bush. \$1.25.

**President Herbert Hoover.** Flame-pink, scarlet and yellow; long-pointed buds on heavy, stiff stems. A good Rose, honoring a sound and patriotic American. \$1.25.

**Radiance.** The great, dependable favorite of the South. Carmine-pink blooms on strong stems. A vigorous, free bloomer over a long season. It may be a lazy gardener's Rose, but everyone loves it for its admirable qualities. \$1.25.

**Red Radiance.** Easily the most generally planted red Rose in the South for like its parent Radiance it is practically perfect in size, stem, growth, freedom of bloom and persistency. \$1.25.

**Soeur Therese.** Long-pointed, chrome-yellow buds, opening to daffodil-like flowers. A favorite in many localities. \$1.25.

**Sunlight.** Plant Patent 1576. Perhaps the finest yellow Rose in years; during the test years it always scored high with us. Bud fine pointed, opening to a most strikingly beautiful and shapely flower of deep, clear yellow. The foliage is large and attractive, on erect, well-balanced plants. See illustration on page 8. \$2.50.

**Tiffany.** Plant Patent 1304. All-America Winner for 1955. A strikingly beautiful warm pink Rose, shading to yellow at the base. Lovely, long-pointed buds, opening into large, double flowers that last well; produced on strong, stiff stems. The bush is of vigorous growth; the bloom is plentiful. Favorable reports from tests here and the entire Southeast show that it is dependable. We highly recommend this Rose and believe that Tiffany has come to stay a long, long time. \$2.50.



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**LADY ELGIN**  
A lovely new color

## Thomasville Favorite Hybrid Teas

**Charlotte Armstrong.** Carmine.

**Kordes Perfecta.** Bicolor.

**Mirandy.** Dark red.

**Peace.** Yellow, tinged pink.

**Tiffany.** Pink.

(Regular Value \$13.00)

**SPECIAL, one each, \$12.00**  
**Three of each for \$34.50**

**ASK FOR OFFER NO. H-1**

### TIFFANY. All-America Winner 1955

This lovely Rose has everything—color, form, fragrance, good stems and foliage, sturdiness, vigor and constancy.



In limited supply we have other Roses, new and old, and we invite correspondence.

**THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA**

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MRS.  
CHARLES  
BELL

*All Rose Plants shipped postpaid*

## BIG VALUE Non-Patented Roses

**Editor McFarland.** Dark pink.  
**Mrs. Charles Bell.** Light pink.  
**Etoile de Hollande.** Dark red.  
**Radiance.** Carmine-pink.  
**Red Radiance.** Light red.

*(Regular Value \$6.25)*

**SPECIAL, one each, \$5.00**  
**Three of each for \$14.00**

**ASK FOR OFFER NO. H-2**

**The Doctor.** Sparkling pink, pointed bud; large, rose-pink flower. Does not grow fast first year; afterward is large, thrifty and outstanding. For those who can exercise a little patience and give it a little extra care it usually becomes a most charming and appreciated pink Rose. \$1.50.

**Twilight.** Plant Patent 1434. A lovely new pastel lavender-lilac with a light silvery reverse. The bud is pointed, and the flower opens gradually to show a high center. \$2.75.

SUNLIGHT



**SEE...**

## *The Thomasville Rose Show*

**Saturday, April 25, 1959**

Rose time in the Deep South is celebrated annually through the staging of the Thomasville Rose Show, the most spectacular flower show in the Southeast, by the Thomasville Garden Club, assisted by the Chamber of Commerce and other civic groups. There will be tours of famous Southern plantations, the Rose Show and special exhibits at the Veterans Dominciliary.

The 1959 show will be one of great beauty, size and merit. If you miss seeing the Thomasville Rose Show, you miss a delightful experience. All Thomasville welcomes you!

# Hybrid Tea Roses



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MISSION BELLS  
All-America Winner 1950

**White Knight.** Plant Patent 1359. A fine new Rose, the first white Hybrid Tea to be chosen in the history of the AARS. It is a splendid Rose for cutting purposes, with long-lasting flowers. The buds are long-pointed, and the blossoms are soft satin-white on the inside and shining white on the outside. The stems are long, the foliage good, the bush as vigorous as the best white Hybrid Teas. We have been waiting for a better white Rose; this is it. \$3.00.

**Yellow Talisman.** Buds golden yellow, long pointed; flowers somewhat lighter. Very successfully grown at Thomasville. Bush is vigorous, superior to its parent. \$1.25.

While ours is a very extensive Rose listing and the plants are of excellent quality, some varieties are in limited supply. In ordering, especially as the season advances, it is well to permit substitutions, to be made from similar varieties.

## ROSE RECIPES

A new and different book, 65 pages with 4-color cover, \$1.25 paper-bound, \$2.25 cloth. Write Rose Museum, House of Roses, 244 St. George St., St. Augustine, Fla.

## Tea Roses

We have a limited stock of Tea Roses.

Unlike Hybrid Teas, Floribundas, etc., of which we do have a large stock of fine plants, our rate of production of Teas has not kept up with the increasing demand. So, no Teas are listed in this catalog.

We don't have as many Teas, nor as many varieties as usual, but the quality runs better. We will send promptly a list of Teas available to those who write.

**THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA**

NOCTURNE  
All-America  
Winner 1948



# Grandiflora ROSES



STARFIRE. All-America Winner 1959

## PRICES ON GRANDIFLORA ROSES

All \$2.00 Roses are 3 for \$5.25, 6 for \$10.50

All \$2.50 Roses are 3 for \$6.60, 6 for \$13.20

All \$2.75 Roses are 3 for \$7.20, 6 for \$14.40

All \$3.50 Roses are 3 for \$9.20, 6 for \$18.40

All Rose plants shipped postpaid.

**Starfire.** Plant Patent Applied for. An attractive and different shade of red in the vigorous Grandiflora group, Starfire is tall-growing, non-fading currant-red, with unique luminous texture and depth to each velvety petal. Blooms freely, on single stems or in clusters, on a sturdy bush with ample good foliage. \$3.50.

**Buccaneer.** Plant Patent 1119. Brilliant and non-fading yellow, without a tinge of other color. Holds color well throughout hottest summer weather. Vigorous Grandiflora bush; long stems; pointed buds and good open flowers. \$2.50.

**Carousel.** Plant Patent 1066. One of the showiest and most satisfactory of dark red Roses to date. Very vigorous in growth; branching and free-flowering. Large blooms for a cluster variety; some blooms on single stems; color is non-fading. Carousel thrives in many sections of America; often does remarkably well under adverse conditions. It has recently won the Gold Certificate of the American Rose Society, one of the Rose world's top honors. \$2.00.

Rosarians have created a brand-new class, Grandiflora, for a very lovely, vigorous and versatile group of Roses. The Grandifloras combine several characteristics of both Hybrid Tea and Floribunda. They are tall, free-flowering plants which produce sometimes clustered blooms, sometimes single specimens, on long stems fine for cutting. Flower size falls between the Hybrid Tea and Floribunda; flower and bud form are similar to the Hybrid Tea class.

Queen Elizabeth is the first Grandiflora to win the All-America award.



BUCCANEER  
Holds its golden  
color through  
all seasons





## GRANDIFLORA ROSES

### All Grandiflora Collection

Buccaneer. Golden yellow.  
Carousel. Velvety dark red.  
Montezuma. Salmon-orange.  
Queen Elizabeth. Rose-pink.  
Roundelay. Dark red.  
Starfire. Currant-red. New.

(Regular Value \$15.75)

**SPECIAL, one each, \$14.25**

Three of each for \$41.50

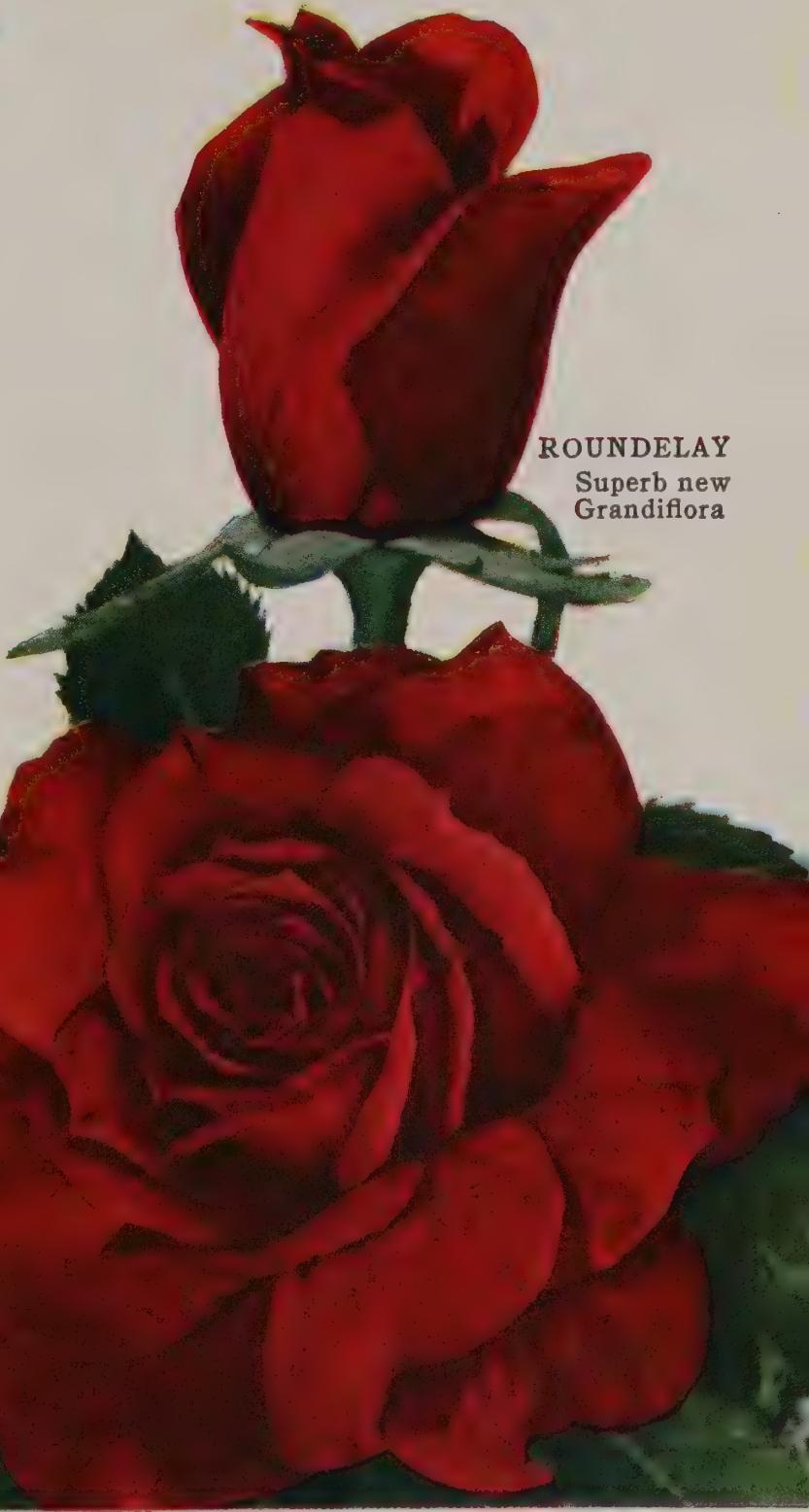
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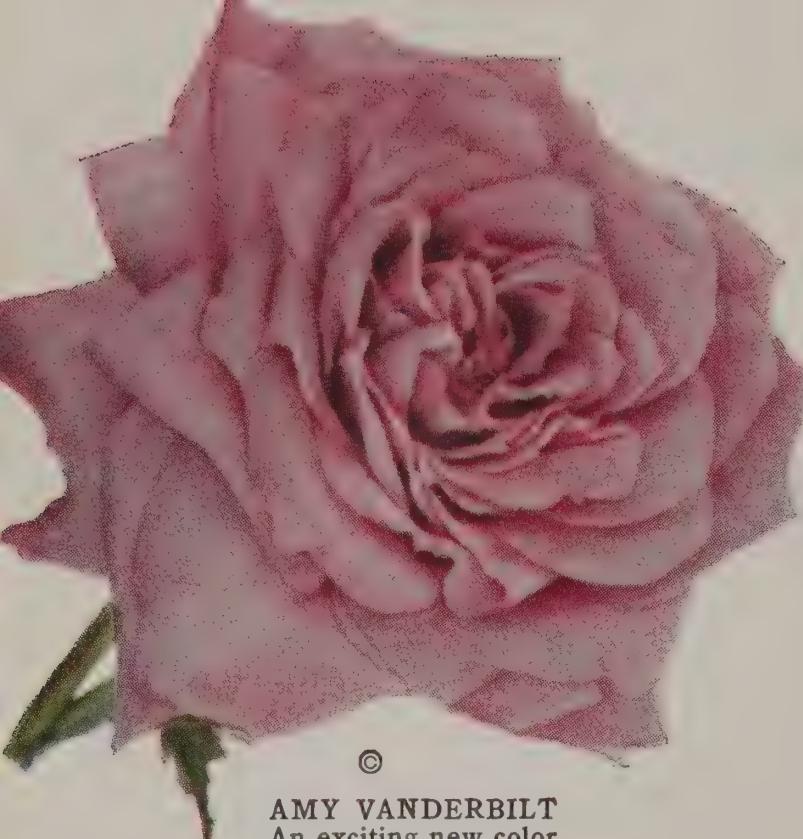
MONTEZUMA brings a new color

**Montezuma.** Plant Patent 1383. A fine Rose, new in 1956, bringing new color to the Grandiflora class. For quality of bloom, vigorous growth and continuous flowering, we think this variety has come to stay. Long-pointed, orange-scarlet buds open to salmon-orange blooms of good substance on long stems. \$2.75.

**Queen Elizabeth.** Plant Patent 1259. All-America Winner for 1955. A very lovely Rose, honoring a very lovely lady! This pure pink Rose is one of the finest varieties ever introduced in America. Not every All-America winner in the past has thrived in the South, but this one is well-nigh perfection. In test gardens in all the Southern states it has shown excellent growth and flowering qualities. Queen Elizabeth is a charming color, a blending of carmine-rose with dawn-pink. It is a profuse bloomer and of the most vigorous growth. It is a development of the noted hybridizer, Dr. Walter Lammerts, who calls it his finest creation, which is putting it strongly, for he has given us such other splendid Roses as Charlotte Armstrong and Chrysler Imperial. Everyone will love Queen Elizabeth! See page 3. \$2.50.

**Roundelay.** Plant Patent 1280. A dark red Rose of much merit and a fine addition to the Grandiflora class. From one of its parents Charlotte Armstrong, it inherits beautiful form at all stages. From Floradora, the other parent, comes the characteristic of blooming very freely and lasting well. Stems are long and strong enough for cutting. Flowers, some on single stems, some in clusters, are delightfully fragrant. A vigorous rapid grower with ample, dark green foliage. \$2.50.





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AMY VANDERBILT  
An exciting new color

**Amy Vanderbilt.** Plant Patent 1585. Here is a more double Rose in the new lavender-lilac shade; in our garden the most admired of these. Blooms well on a moderately vigorous bush. Lovely with yellow or light pink varieties, or just by itself. \$2.50.

**Bouquet.** Large clusters of semi-double, deep pink bloom. Long lasting as a cut flower. Large, attractive foliage. A very desirable Floribunda. \$1.50.

**Cecile Brunner.** The "Sweetheart Rose." One of the treasures of old Southern gardens, just as valued today as in the past. It is a Tea-Polyantha that develops into a large, vigorous bush, producing an abundance of very small, double, light pink blooms in clusters over a long season. \$1.75.

**Chic.** Plant Patent 1286. A Floribunda of exceptional merit for the South and perhaps for other sections. It is a Rose of perfect Floribunda characteristics, much branched, vigorous, flowering freely in clusters. The color is salmon-pink in the bud stage, becoming bright pink with faint salmon shading. In our test garden and nursery fields it bloomed right on through the hottest weather, and we have seen it performing well in Alabama, Florida and North Carolina. For those who like double pink bloom of practically the Ma Perkins color but borne in greater profusion, on good stems fine for cutting, this is a very nice new Floribunda. \$2.00.

#### New Rose Show Date

The 38th Thomasville Rose Show will be held Saturday, April 25, 1959. In the past the shows have been held on Friday. In the future the show will be staged the fourth Saturday in April.

#### Newest Floribundas

**Fusilier.** AARS 1958. Orange-red.

**Gold Cup.** AARS 1958. Golden yellow.

**Ivory Fashion.** AARS 1959. Ivory-white.

(Regular Value \$7.75)

**SPECIAL, one each, \$6.90**

Three of each for \$20.40

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What those who have become acquainted with Floribunda Roses like so much about them is that in the Lower South, including Florida, they are the easiest to grow, almost like common shrubs. And who could ask more of a plant that blooms all season, as does the Floribunda, beginning the first spring and continuing year after year?

Aside from the sturdiness and ease of culture that make them wonderful for beds and borders, Floribundas come in a very wide range of color, make lovely cut-flower arrangements and as such last very long. No wonder people are saying, "Floribundas are Fascinating."



POULSEN'S BEDDER  
Vigorous, profuse, constant

THOMASVILLE NURSERIES

## FLORIBUNDA ROSES



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### GOLDILOCKS

Best yellow Floribunda for the South

**Crimson Rosette.** Plant Patent 901. Coiled "rosette" shape; deep red, very double flowers in clusters on stiff stems. As a bedding variety it is superb, but it has much merit as a long-lasting cut flower. This variety is something new and charming in Floribundas, and worthy of a place in any garden. \$1.50.

**Dagmar Spath.** Pure white flowers. Free flowering, producing masses of bloom with golden stamens. An ideal bedding Rose of medium height. \$1.25.

**Donald Prior.** A perfect Crimson Glory deep red color, producing great masses of bloom over a long season, right on through the hottest summer weather. Very vigorous. A great favorite in the Lower South, and rightly so, for it is always showy and easy to grow. \$1.50.

**Else Poulsen.** One of the older Floribundas, but widely grown because it is a most satisfactory performer. The semi-double, bright rose-pink flowers are carried on erect, strong plants. Good for a hedge or as a bedding variety; also good for cutting. \$1.25.

**Fashion.** Plant Patent 789. Buds Oriental-red, opening to a luminous pink, overlaid with gold, becoming coral with age. The bush is vigorous and branching in habit, and blooms all through the Rose season. All the praise continually heaped on this Rose is well deserved; its popularity increases and it is a favorite wherever grown. \$2.00.

## Southern Favorite Floribundas

**Chic.** Finest pink Floribunda.

**Fashion.** Showy coral-salmon.

**Geranium Red.** Geranium-like red.

**Goldilocks.** Golden yellow.

**Red Pinocchio.** Darkest red.

**Summer Snow.** Profuse white.

(Regular Value \$11.00)

**SPECIAL, one each, \$10.00**

Three of each for \$29.70

ASK FOR OFFER NO. F-2

**Floradora.** Constantly in bloom and an entirely new shade in Roses—a brilliant cinnabar-red, as arresting under artificial light as in the garden. Floradora blooms are always eye-catchers; everyone stops to admire them. As a cut flower it is exceptionally long lasting. Floradora should be in every Floribunda garden. \$1.25.

**Fusilier.** Plant Patent 1709. 1958 All-America Winner. A brilliant new Floribunda. While it looks good all day, this brilliant orange-red fairly shines in the soft light of late afternoon or as a cut flower under artificial light in the evening. Lasts a long time as a cut bloom. The bush is robust and the foliage good. Flowers are fairly double, borne in Floribunda cluster form. Fusilier will be a favorite in the garden or used in hedge or shrub plantings where color accent is desired. \$2.50.

**Frensham.** Deep crimson-red flowers of medium size, borne in typical Floribunda clusters. Very compact and branching growth, making it an excellent border, hedge or bedding variety. Sturdy in growth and constant in bloom. \$1.25.

## Standard Floribunda Special

### Non-Patented Varieties

**Dagmar Spath.** Pure white.

**Floradora.** Cinnabar-red.

**Improved Lafayette.** Cherry-red.

**Poulsen's Bedder.** Shell-pink.

**Red Ripples.** Dark red.

(Regular Value \$6.25)

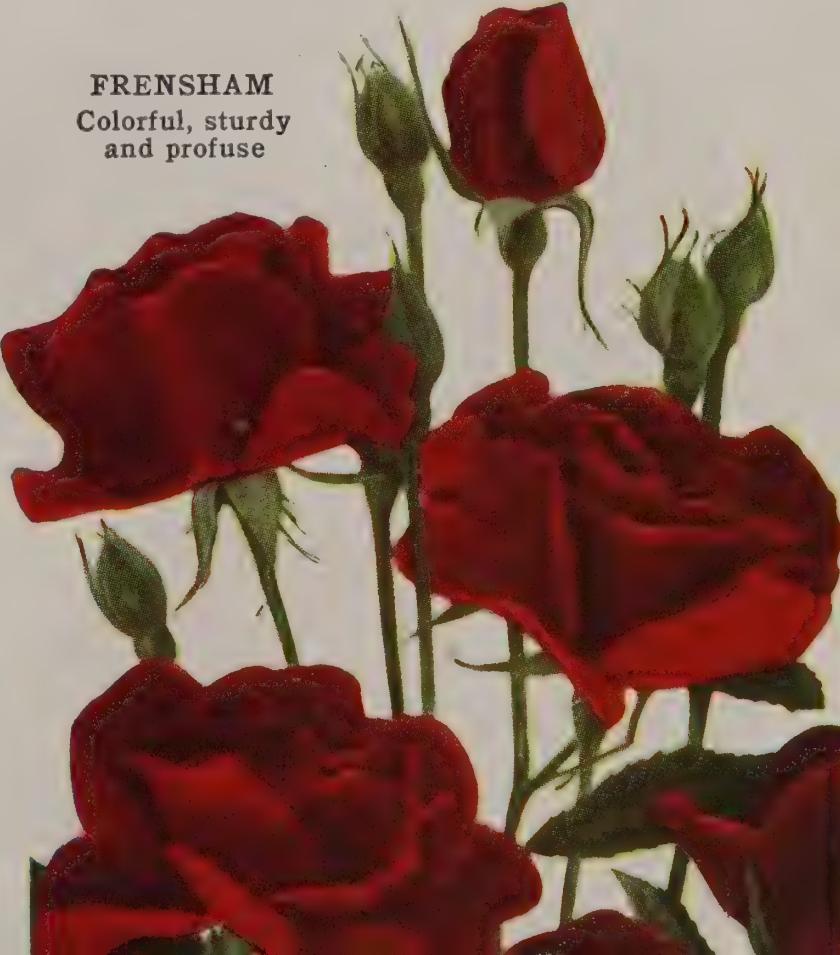
**SPECIAL, one each, \$5.00**

Three of each for \$14.00

ASK FOR OFFER NO. F-3

### FRENSHAM

Colorful, sturdy  
and profuse



# FLORIBUNDA ROSES

**Geranium Red.** Plant Patent 811. Here is the most unusual and most admired red Floribunda at Thomasville. In color it is all the the name implies, and the flowers are somewhat larger than most varieties of this group. The camellia-like flowers are a vivid, bright, geranium-like red, and no picture does it full credit. The bush is a strong one, flowering from spring till late fall in the South. As a bedding Rose and as a cut-flower variety, this distinctively different Floribunda has been much admired by all who have seen it. \$2.00.

**Goldilocks.** Plant Patent 672. The buds are miniatures of Hybrid Tea perfection, opening into fully double, golden flowers. The bush is of strong and compact growth. Stems are strong and flowers fine for cutting. \$1.75.



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## The Fashion Group

**Fashion.** Coral-salmon.

**Jiminy Cricket.** Tangerine-orange.

**Ma Perkins.** Salmon-pink.

(Regular Value \$6.00)

**SPECIAL, one each, \$5.35**

**Three of each for \$15.75**

**ASK FOR OFFER NO. F-4**

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Is always floriferous and showy

All-America  
Winner 1950

**Gold Cup.** Plant Patent 1683. 1958 All-America Winner. A wonderful new Floribunda. Very vigorous in growth, branches well, holds its glossy foliage through adverse weather. Nicely clustered stems produce lovely golden flowers, which hold their color well in the sun. An excellent variety for cutting. In our Test Garden and in the fields shows up as the best golden Floribunda to date. \$2.50.

**Ivory Fashion.** Plant Patent 1688. The large, graceful, high-pointed flowers are borne in clusters, opening slowly. The fully opened flowers retain their fresh appearance and hold their ivory-white color to the end. Profuse and constant in blooming. \$2.75.

**Improved Lafayette.** Large; semi-double; cherry-red. Very strong grower and profuse bloomer over a long season. Ideal for borders or group plantings where Floribundas are most effective. \$1.25.

**Jiminy Cricket.** Plant Patent 1346. 1955 All-America Winner. A most brilliant and striking Floribunda produced in great profusion on a vigorous bush. Vivid tangerine-orange color in bud, changing to coral or vermillion as it opens, and finishing a shade of pink-coral. The flowers have the appearance of a deep and intensified Fashion, and the glossy foliage adds to its attractiveness. In our test garden and fields it has been the most admired Floribunda—quite a tribute, for there are a number of other fascinating Floribundas. \$2.00.

**Lavender Pinocchio.** Plant Patent 947. An entirely new color in Roses—a true clear lavender enriched by masses of golden stamens. Nice as a cut flower and fine in the garden as something entirely different. \$2.00.

**Ma Perkins.** Plant Patent 1143. 1953 All-America Winner. Most charming in color and form. Buds are coral with tinges of red and a touch of yellow at the base; open flowers are lovely coral-shell-pink. Compact and vigorous. A worthy companion of Fashion and Vogue. \$2.00.

**Perle d'Or.** The salmon "Sweetheart Rose." Much like Cecile Brunner in form; salmon-pink in color. \$1.75.

# FLORIBUNDA ROSES

**Pink Rosette.** Plant Patent 902. A new and lovely form in Floribundas. Beautiful rosette-shaped, small, double flowers borne in large clusters on a small, compact, healthy bush. Flowers are long lasting and very fine for corsages. \$1.50.

**Poulsen's Bedder.** Clear, bright pink petals, slightly ruffled. Somewhat tall for a Floribunda, constant and profuse in bloom; very effective as a hedge or bedding variety. \$1.25.

**Red Pinocchio.** Plant Patent 812. Very double, very dark red flowers borne in large clusters on a medium-sized, compact bush. Excellent for hedge and border use. A great bloomer in hottest weather, and a very satisfactory Floribunda everywhere it is grown. \$1.75.

**Red Ripples.** Brilliant scarlet in both bud and open flower; wavy petals; large clusters profusely borne on an upright, vigorous bush. \$1.25.

**Summer Snow.** A most prolific Floribunda giving great clusters of pure white blooms throughout the Rose season. Low, compact habit of growth. Outstanding in any Rose planting. \$1.50.

**Spartan.** Plant Patent 1357. A striking coral-red Floribunda, producing a great profusion of medium-sized, very double flowers on a vigorous and tall-growing bush. Greatly admired, greatly prized for color, vitality and cut-flower use. \$2.75.

**Starlet.** Plant Patent 1694. A good Floribunda with flowers of clear yellow, which grows vigorously and blooms profusely over a long season. Flowers are small, double, and in clusters, as you expect a nice Rose of this class to be. In our garden it has attracted much favorable comment and has consistently performed well. Naturally, we like it and recommend it. \$2.50.

**The Fairy.** A valuable ornamental plant for many uses. It gives hundreds of flowers at a time, keeps blooming from April to freezing weather and thrives with less care than most cultivated plants.

The small, sweet seashell-pink Roses come in big sprays continually. The plant growth is very thick and bushy, densely branching and densely covered with small, shining, pretty foliage right down to the ground, as pretty as boxwood and needs no spraying. It will grow to 4 feet in height and just as broad, or can be kept lower if pruned low each spring. \$1.50.

## GERANIUM RED

© A unique, showy, fragrant Floribunda



**Rosenelfe.** A well-nigh perfect Floribunda. Vigorous in growth, profuse and constant in bloom, with small, double flowers in typical Floribunda cluster form. Rose-pink color; lasts long as a cut flower. \$1.50.

## ROSENELFE ©

A choice pink Floribunda

**Vogue.** Plant Patent 926. Small, Hybrid-Tea-like buds of deep rose, flushed salmon, opening into graceful, high-centered, somewhat lighter flowers. We would call the color half-way between that of Fashion and Floradora. It is so lovely that you will want to use it in bouquets as often as possible. It blooms freely. A 1952 All-America Winner. \$2.00.

## Four Favorite Floribundas

**Crimson Rosette.** Dark red.

**Goldilocks.** Yellow.

**Rosenelfe.** Rose-pink.

**Summer Snow.** White.

(Regular Value \$6.25)

**SPECIAL, one each, \$5.50**

**Three of each for \$15.90**

**ASK FOR OFFER NO. F-5**

## DWARF Polyantha Roses

These are commonly called "Baby Roses" and are excellent for borders, hedges or any place where a small, compact plant is needed.

**Chatillon Rose.** Small, double, rose-pink flowers borne profusely over a long season.

**Golden Salmon Superior.** All that the name implies, and a unique color in Roses.

**Sparkler.** Very dark red sport of Golden Salmon. Very profuse bloomer all the Rose season.

In limited supply we have other Polyanthas, and invite correspondence.

All Dwarf Polyantha Roses are \$1.25 each, 3 for \$3.15, 6 for \$6.00, 12 for \$11.00

**THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA**

# Hybrid Perpetual ROSES

**Frau Karl Druschki (White American Beauty).** This is the one pure paper-white Rose without a tinge of pink or lemon. Very large and double. In the Southeast repeats in blooming.

**General Jacqueminot.** Bud scarlet-crimson; flower large, clear red; very fragrant. The vigorous old "Jack Rose" deserves a place in every Southern garden.

**Paul Neyron.** Greatest of all pink Hybrid Perpetuals. Immense, cup-like bud; perfect, well-formed flower. A grand old Hybrid Perpetual.

All Hybrid Perpetual Roses, \$1.50 each, 3 for \$3.90, 6 for \$7.50, 12 for \$13.20

## NEW ROSE SHOW DATE

The 38th annual Thomasville Rose Show will be held Saturday, April 25, 1959



GENERAL JACQUEMINOT

# • Climbing Roses •

## Including Old-Fashioned Varieties

**Explanation of Symbols:** LR., Large-flowered Rambler; Cl., Climber; Se.Cl., Semi-Climber; Cl.Pol., Climbing Polyantha; Cl.HT., Climbing Hybrid Tea; Cl.T., Climbing Tea; N., Noisette.

### Prices of Climbing Roses

All \$1.25 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$3.15, 6 for \$6.00, 12 for \$11.00

All \$1.50 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$3.90, 6 for \$7.50, 12 for \$13.20

All \$1.75 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$4.65

All \$2.00 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$5.25

All \$2.25 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$6.00

All \$2.50 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$6.60

All Roses are shipped prepaid

**Belle of Portugal.** LR. Long-pointed buds open into large, semi-double, light pink flowers. Glossy foliage. Rank grower, producing a profusion of bloom in the spring. \$1.50.

**Blaze.** CL. Brilliant red sport of Paul's Scarlet. Blooms heavily in spring and repeats throughout summer. Rich, leathery foliage. Vigorous growth. Very showy anywhere it is used. \$1.50.

**Blossomtime.** Se.Cl. Plant Patent 1240. Superior in every way. Pleasing light rose-pink, some blooms on single stems, some in clusters. Consistent bloomer throughout spring and summer. Foliage large and abundant; growth very vigorous. \$2.50.

**City of York.** LR. Semi-double; pure white with golden stamens. Dark, glossy foliage. Awarded Gold Medal of American Rose Society. \$1.50.

**Cl. Cecile Brunner.** Cl.Pol. A strong climbing form of the "Sweetheart Rose." Bears a great profusion of tiny double light pink flowers on a very robust-growing plant. \$1.75.

**Cl. Columbia.** Cl.HT. A fine climbing sport of the bush Columbia, bearing silvery pink flowers on good stems for cutting. \$1.50.



BLOSSOMTIME

# Climbing Roses

**Cl. Crimson Glory.** Cl.HT. Plant Patent 736. Rich crimson-red, very large, double and fragrant. Bush extremely vigorous. Flowers throughout all the Rose season. The most admired red climber in our collection. \$2.50.

**Cl. Devoniensis.** CT. White, faintly tinged pink; large, double. Strong growth, recurrent bloom. A great favorite where it is known. \$1.75.

**Cl. Etoile de Hollande.** Cl.HT. Deep crimson-red; semi-double. Vigorous, prolific; flowers over a long season. \$1.50.

**Cl. Kaiserin Auguste Viktoria.** Cl.HT. Strong, free-flowering sport of the popular double white bush Kaiserin. \$1.50.

**Cl. Maman Cochet.** Cl.T. This fine old Climbing Tea rose has been a great favorite in the Lower South for generations, because of its vigorous growth, long life and profusion of double, silvery pink flowers over a long season. \$1.75.

**Cl. Peace.** Cl.HT. Plant Patent 932. A perfect climbing sport of the famous Peace. Very robust in growth, producing heavy canes, large glossy foliage and plentiful bloom for a large variety. For anyone who cannot grow bush Peace well, we advise using this climber. From it you can cut many fine flowers on stiff stems, just as if it were a bush variety. \$2.25.

**Cl. Talisman.** Cl.HT. A vigorous sport of bush Talisman; identical with its parent in form and color. Those who have not done well with the bush variety should try this climber; it is very strong, showy and dependable. \$1.50.

**Cl. White Maman Cochet.** Cl.T. Identical with the pink variety in rank growth and free-flowering habit except for color, which is pure white, beautifully tinged in bud with soft pink. \$1.75.

**Cloth of Gold.** N. A very rare and vigorous old Noisette. Performs like a Climbing Tea Rose. Will climb 30 feet or more. Deep yellow; fragrant; repeats some. \$1.75.

**Elie Beauvillain.** N. One of the most beautiful and profuse of all vigorous climbing Roses for the South. Large, full flowers of shining rose-pink with yellow base. A truly wonderful old variety. \$1.75.

**Gloire de Dijon.** N. Where Elie Beauvillain is pink with yellow base, Gloire de Dijon reverses the combination. Both are extremely vigorous, not given much to repeat bloom, but oh, what a magnificent show in the spring! Still a favorite after more than 90 years. \$1.75.

**Grossherzog Ernst Ludwig.** N. Commonly called the red Marechal Niel. Large, double, fragrant, Marechal Niel-like blooms borne freely on a very rank-growing bush. Easy to grow. Give it plenty of room, and it will be a wonderful sight. Red, shaded yellow. \$1.75.

**Guinee.** Cl.HT. Very large, double, dark red; vigorous. \$1.50.

**Lamarque.** N. Pure white with lemon center; medium size, double, fragrant. Because of its excellent qualities this old Rose, given us by Marechal of France in 1830, still graces many Southern gardens. \$1.75.

**Marechal Niel.** N. Long a favorite old climber of the South. Double, fragrant, deep yellow. \$2.50.

**Mermaid.** Cl. Very large, perfectly single, Cherokee-like bloom, produced in clusters in the spring on an extremely vigorous plant. \$1.75.

**New Dawn.** Cl. An everblooming form of the lovely light pink Dr. Van Fleet. \$1.50.

**Reve d'Or.** N. Buff-yellow; medium size; fragrant. Foliage rich green, extending to base of plant. A free-blooming climber, that is a great favorite at Thomasville. \$1.75.

**Solfaterre.** N. A very fine member of the old Noisette group. Large, lemon-yellow blooms, double and fragrant, borne abundantly in repeating surges throughout the Rose season. \$1.75.

**White Cherokee.** A great favorite everywhere used, and the National Flower of Georgia. Large, single, pure white blooms borne profusely in earliest spring on strong canes with glossy foliage. \$1.50.

**William Allen Richardson.** N. The deepest golden of the yellow Noisette climbers. Small, double, fragrant flowers on a vigorous plant. \$1.75.

**Yellow Banksia.** While this one is not fragrant, it has all the other characteristics of White Banksia. Beautiful, small, very double flowers in clusters cover the plant. Always the first Rose to bloom at the end of winter. \$1.50.



BLAZE

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# HJORT'S Fine New CAMELLIAS

Thomasville is in perhaps the most favored locality for producing the finest Camellia blooms in America. Visitors have told us the finest quality of bloom they have seen is in the area of which Thomasville is the center—Albany, Cairo, Tallahassee, Quitman. Here we have conditions of climate and soil most favorable to growing quality plants, too.

Naturally, as an established and progressive nursery interested in the most distinctive flowering plants for this area, we have long been interested in Camellias. We are always procuring new varieties from other parts of the Camellia belt. And we have produced or distributed for other originators here, a goodly number of new varieties.



NANNIE BROWN. New for 1959

## Fine CAMELLIAS are a Specialty with us

With the coming of so much that is delightfully new in color and form, and the discovery that the bush is not exotic and tempermental, the Camellia has come to be the favorite flower of many gardeners of the Lower South, where it is an exciting and distinctive gem. Gardeners have found that when properly planted and cared for, but not pampered, the Camellia is an attractive evergreen bush to grace any setting, and with an advantage over other shrubs that hold their foliage in that it is radiant with bloom in all but the coldest days from October to March.

The growing of quality Camellias has long been a specialty with us. We raise these in our fields, in full sun, thereby making the stockiest and hardiest bushes. Lately we have put many of them into containers, to facilitate transplanting at any time. We are testing new Camellias all the time and this season offer an enlarged listing. Selected from many, many seedlings, we present two choice new varieties for the first time—Marie Bracey and Nannie Brown.

Visitors are invited to see a wide assortment of Camellias, old and new, around our office and on the grounds of the main nursery, at 1842 Smith Ave., which is the route of U. S. highway 84, East. And for those who would buy plants, we have very good quality.

**Marie Bracey.** The finest early pink Camellia since the Daikaguras. A very lovely satiny pink with a sheen; semi-double in form, showing only a few short stamens interspersed in the petals. It came as one of the plants raised from the last seeds planted by the late Mrs. Mattie Brice, of Quitman, Ga., and grown by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Turner Brice of Valdosta, and named for a daughter, Mrs. Jack Bracey, of Thomasville. No records were left to show varieties crossed to produce this choice new Camellia. Of extra hardiness, here and in test gardens of several cities it came through the very severe cold of last winter unharmed, some of the last blooms being very large and lovely. Compact field and container-

grown plants, 2-yr. grafts, \$15.00 to \$20.00; 1-yr. grafts, \$7.50 to \$10.00 each.

**Nannie Brown.** A large and beautiful light rose-pink semi-double; raised as a chance seedling by Mrs. T. S. Braswell, of Monticello, Fla., and named in honor of her mother. The flower has one compact ring of golden stamens in the center, holds well on the bush, and has the appearance of being a glorified Beatrix Hoyt, itself an excellent Camellia. Foliage large and dark; bush vigorous, somewhat compact and rounded in growth. Stocky, field and container-grown plants, 2-yr. grafts, \$15.00 to \$20.00; 1-yr. grafts, \$7.50 to \$10.00 each.



# Three Lovely CAMELLIAS From Thomasville



## MARIE BRACEY

Lovely new light rose-pink Camellia.  
Blooms very early. Very hardy and showy.

### Camellia Scions

We sell scions of most Camellias  
except new introductions **Marie  
Bracey** and **Nannie Brown** and  
**patented varieties**.

Many available not cataloged.  
Please send us your wants for  
quotation.



## KATE THRASH

Beautiful Incomplete Double Ca-  
mellia. Highly resistant to cold.

You are invited  
to join the  
American Camellia  
Society

## ← BETTY SHEFFIELD

All the Sheffields are exquisite in  
color and form.

# Camellia



KRAMER'S SUPREME. Fine new red Camellia

## PRICES OF CAMELLIAS Except as noted

Grafted Plants, Field Grown, Some in Cans

1-yr. grafts on 4 to 6-yr. stocks, B&B, \$5.00 to \$7.50

2-yr. grafts on 6 to 7-yr. stocks, B&B, \$10.00 to \$15.00

Crating charge for shipping, \$1.00 per plant extra

**Aaron's Ruby.** Bright red, very large, semi-double to anemone form. While vigorous, it is usually of slender, somewhat pendulous growth, but our field-grown plants are above the average for sturdiness. A choice and worth-while Camellia. 2-yr. grafts, \$15.00 to \$20.00; 1-yr. grafts, \$7.50 to \$10.00 each.

**Adolphe Audusson.** Generally considered the finest semi-double, dark red Camellia in which stamens are one compact ring in center of bloom. Heavy, dark green foliage.

**Adolphe Audusson Special.** Loveliest variegated form of Adolphe Audusson. Our plants are grafted from scions especially selected for having a predominance of white. Many blooms show waves of marbling.

**Alba Plena.** Still the acme of perfection in double-flowering Camellias. Many double white Camellias have been created, but none of such form as to equal Alba Plena. Pure paper-white. Ours are grafted plants, far above the average for shapeliness and hardiness.

**Angel.** Pure white; large semi-double with fluted petals. Compact, vigorous growth. 1-yr. grafts, 10.00.

**Angel's Blush.** A very lovely miniature. Very small, semi-double, light pink, having the appearance of a tiny Pink Perfection.

**Ann Miller.** A lovely new pale pink peony-form. Large flower; vigorous bush. 1-yr. grafts, \$10.00.

**Ann Smith.** A large and beautiful, very dark red Camellia originated by Mrs. J. W. Mann, of Valdosta, Ga. Flowers are frequently more than 5 inches across, and they come freely over a long season that begins in late November.

**Barbara Woodruff.** A lovely Elegans sport. Light orchid-pink outer petals and creamy white center petaloids with an occasional rose-pink petaloid. 1-yr. grafts, \$10.00.

**Betty Sheffield.** This charming Camellia, raised as a seedling by Mrs. A. B. Sheffield of Quitman and introduced by us a few years ago, has become one of America's leading varieties, being greatly prized from Norfolk to Texas, and on the Pacific Coast. Large, often 6-inch, very regular semi-double to loose peony form, white with occasional red or pink splotch or stripe. Petals slightly waved; golden stamens interspersed among petals. The bush is a strong, vigorous grower, upright and compact, and the foliage is large and distinctive. Superior to many others of similar color.

**Blush Betty Sheffield.** A large and lovely sport of Betty Sheffield. Light pink; some flowers have deeper splotches, all have white edge. Some flowers at first are Herme-colored, but never purple; many are lighter. All are exquisite. Like its parent, this Camellia begins blooming in November and continues to March. The habit is compact and shapely, the foliage large, dark green. An occasional bloom measures 6 inches across. Winner of top awards in many flower shows. 2-yr. grafts, \$12.50 to \$15.00; 1-yr. grafts, \$5.00 to \$10.00 each.

**Cinderella.** Plant Patent 1281. A very lovely light silvery pink, shading deeper inside, with darker veinings. Many flowers have beautifully serrated petals. The first All-America Winner, not well received at first in the South, but when it is well established it becomes a more appreciated Camellia.

**Colonial Dame.** White, occasionally blushed pink. Large, semi-double to peony form. Vigorous growth.

**C. M. Wilson.** Sport of Elegans (Chandler), and exactly like parent except that it is a clear, even shade of light pink. \$2.50 to \$7.50.

**Coronation.** White. Very large, semi-double. Vigorous, open, spreading growth. 1-yr. grafts, \$7.50 to \$10.00 each.

# JAPONICA

**Daikagura.** Long the standard extra-early Camellia of the South. Often in bloom before end of September at Thomasville, continuing to early winter. Available in solid deep pink, and in variegated. \$2.50 to \$7.50.

**Daikagura, Ward's Variegated.** A very select Daikagura with most white petals; very select. \$2.50 to \$7.50.

**Dear Jenny.** Pure white, semi-double, large. Vigorous and compact growth. One of the best seedlings of C. W. Hand, Pelham, Ga., and named in honor of his grandmother, Mrs. Hollis, of Americus, Ga. Mr. Hand has raised many seedlings, and some good ones never went into circulation, but this nice one was worthy to honor a lovely lady of the South who lived to be 100 years of age.

**Doris Freeman.** Large; semi-double to peony form. Rose-pink, marbled and blotched white. Compact, upright growth. One of the best new Camellias.

**Drama Girl.** Large, semi-double, deep salmon-rose-pink. Vigorous, open, pendulous growth.

**Dr. Knapp.** The extra-large, deeply serrated, dark green leaves make this Camellia outstanding, although the deep red flowers are fairly good.

**Dr. Tinsley.** Very light pink at base, shading to deeper pink; semi-double. Truly one of the loveliest of all Camellias.

**Edwin H. Folk.** An outstanding Camellia in anybody's collection. Large, loose, semi-double; glowing red.

**Emily Wilson.** A delightful light pink Camellia. Large; semi-double to loose peony form with mixed petaloids. Vigorous; compact, upright in growth.



**SHIRO-CHAN.** Valuable new white Camellia

**Emmett Pfingstl.** Large, semi-double with irregular petals to peony form, with waved outer petals and fluted center petals. Deep red, mottled white. Vigorous and sturdy in growth. A very good variety.

**Faith.** Rose-pink Elegans sport. Large; Semi-double with irregular petals to anemone form, with slightly variegated petaloids and stamens interspersed in center. Like its parent, vigorous and hardy.

**Flame.** Deep flame-red. Large, semi-double. Vigorous, upright, compact growth. Always showy, always satisfactory, here to stay. \$2.50 to \$5.00.

**Flame Variegated.** Sport of Flame. Our plants are grafted from one plant showing much white mottling.

**Florence Stratton.** White with some petals solid pink. Large, formal to rose-form double with cupped inner petals. Vigorous, bushy growth. 1-yr. grafts.

**Flowerwood.** A distinctive Mathotiana sport, with petals fimbriated.

**Frank Baker.** Large, pure white, semi-double with irregular petals.

**Frank Gibson.** A most distinctive Camellia, different from all others. Pure white, anemone form, with a large mass of golden-edged petaloids in center. The most yellow of any Camellia to date. Vigorous bush; profuse bloomer.

**Frosty Morn.** A very large white anemone to peony form with beautiful long, narrow, slightly twisted foliage. Medium, open, upright growth. Very good. 1-yr. grafts only.

**Gertrude Murray.** See Colonial Dame.

**Haku-Rakuten (Refugee).** Large, semi-double, pure white with golden stamens.

**High Hat.** Very lovely, light pink sport of Daikagura, with all the good qualities of its parent. \$2.50 to \$7.50.

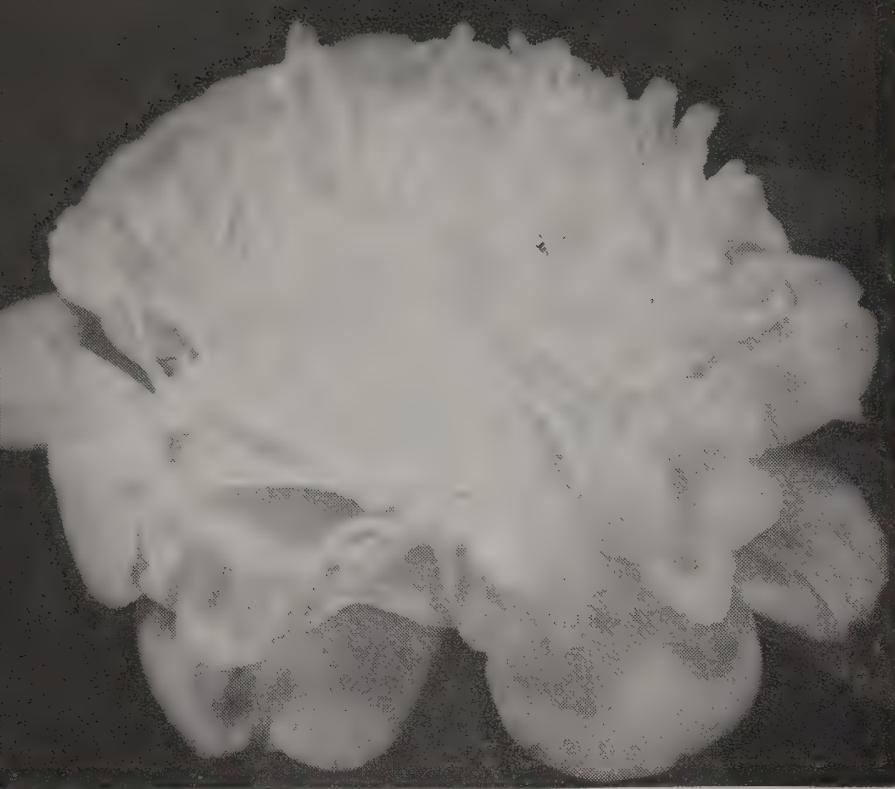
**Hishi-Kairito.** Delicate pink miniature; semi-double with mixed petaloids and stamens.



**PEARL MAXWELL**

Best large late pink Formal

**THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA**



SALLY HARRELL. Lovely white Debutante form

**Joshua Youtz (White Daikagura).** One of the largest pure white Camellias. Blooms very early and continues far into the season. Bush vigorous and hardy.

**Kate Thrash.** Rose-pink. Notably hardy, well suited to upper portion of Camellia belt as well as into Florida. Flowers 4 inches in diameter and often 3 inches thick. Flowers hold on the bush a long time and have good long stems, fine for cutting. Originated by Mrs. W. T. Roughton, of Thomasville, a leader in garden activities.

**Kate Thrash Variegated.** Beautiful pink and white sport with all the good qualities of the original.

**Kramer's Supreme.** Plant Patent 1583. Turkey-red. Very large, peony form with mixed petals and petaloids of full form. Vigorous, compact, upright growth. 1-yr. grafts, field grown, or from egg cans, \$10.00.

**Lady Kay.** Fimbriated Ville de Nantes; mostly red, but some variegated flowers.

**Light Gigantea.** Mostly white, some red markings. A strikingly handsome Gigantea sport. Our propagations only from whitest flowers.

**Lookaway.** Light rose-pink with border of white. A sport of Herme, many think the most attractive.

FAITH. Lovely Elegans sport



# Camellia

**Mabel Blackwell.** A very lovely new Camellia raised by Ralph May and named for the daughter of Owen Blackwell, of Semmes, Ala. White flowers about 5½ inches in diameter, shading to soft pink on the margins of the fluted petals. 1-yr. field grafts, \$10.00.

**Masquerade.** Pure white. Large, formal double to anemone form. 2-yr. grafts only.

**Mathotiana (Mathotiana Rubra, Julia Drayton, Purple Emperor).** Deep crimson, often with purplish cast that adds to its brilliance. The standard of perfection for large, full (formal) double Camellias. Own-root and grafts, \$2.50 to \$10.00.

**Mathotiana Rubra Variegated.** Like above, but mottled white. Same sizes and prices.

**Mathotiana Rosea (Rosea Superba).** Lighter than Mathotiana; very good. Same sizes and prices.

**Mathotiana Rosea, Variegated.** Like above, but nicely marked with white. Same sizes and prices.

**Mathotiana Supreme.** One of the great and outstanding Camellias of all time. A sport of Mathotiana producing large, loose peony-form flowers interspersed with showy golden stamens.

**Mattie O'Reilly.** Coral-rose-pink. Very large peony form, with some petaloids. Healthy bush, but develops slowly. Give it time and it will produce strikingly beautiful flowers.

**Mercury.** Deep rose-red to scarlet. Large semi-double of flat form, sometimes with upright center petals.

**Mercury Variegated.** Like above, mottled white. 1-yr. grafts.

**Mrs. D. W. Davis.** Largest of all *Camellia japonica*; some flowers measure 8 inches across. Semi-double form; lovely very light pink color. Large, dark green foliage. This is a great Camellia everybody should have, and we have excellent, sturdy, field-grown bushes. 2-yr. grafts, \$20.00 to \$25.00; 1-yr. grafts, \$7.50 to \$12.50 each.

PINK CHAMPAGNE. A big beauty



# JAPONICA

**Nina Avery.** Lovely light pink with white stamens, tipped brown. Medium, semi-double to loose peony-form flowers with crinkled, erect center petals irregularly interspersed with stamens.

**Norma Borland.** White, occasionally dashed red. Large, peony form with white stamens intermingled with petals and petaloids of full form. 1-yr. grafts only.

**Pearl Maxwell.** Lovely light pink, imbricated formal double. Large, sometimes 5½ inches across. Late bloomer. Heavy, dark green foliage; erect, uniform bush. A chaste and beautiful Camellia.

**Pink Champagne.** Soft pink. Very large, semi-double with irregular petaloids. Vigorous, upright growth. A valuable addition to newer Camellias.

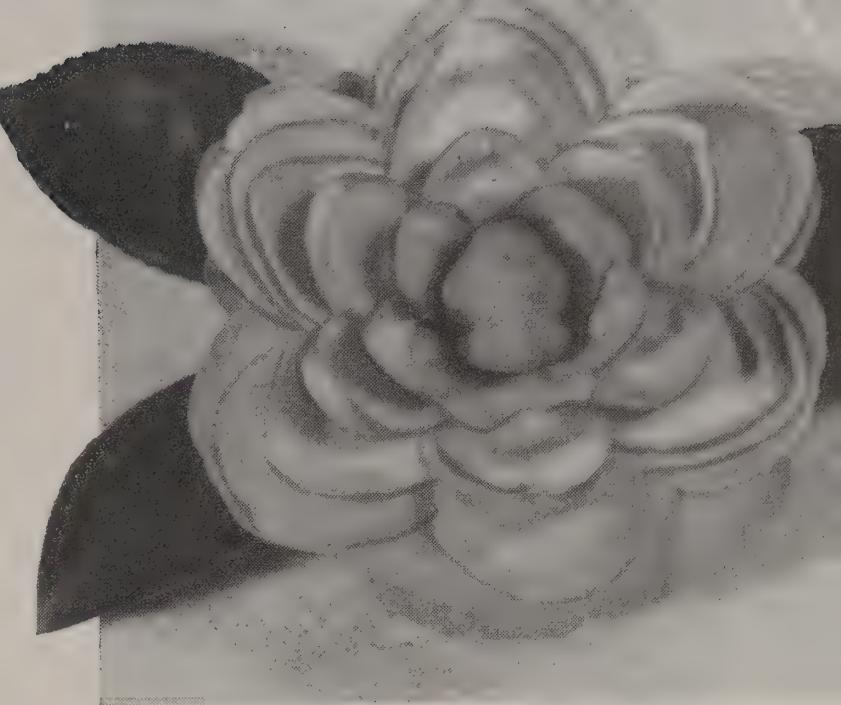
**Sally Harrell.** Almost a perfect White Debutante. Habit of growth and early flowering like it. One of the best Camellias from Thomasville.

**Shiro-Chan.** A very lovely pure white sport of Elegans (Chandler), with all the good qualities of the older variety. Shiro-Chan is hardier than most white Camellias, with typical dark green Elegans foliage. Everyone who sees it likes it. Regardless of how fast new Camellias are produced, here is one we believe has come to stay. Most of our field-grown and container plants are set with flower buds.

## VISIT THE THOMASVILLE CAMELLIA SHOW

Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 17-18, 1959

The Thomasville Show is always one of the largest and most beautiful. Come and see a wonderful assortment of lovely Camellia varieties, including many that are new.



### STARLET

Exquisite New Miniature Camellia

**Simeon.** Deep pink. Very large, semi-double to peony form, with large petals and a high center intermixed with golden stamens. Large foliage; vigorous, upright growth. An excellent variety.

**Starlet.** Rose-pink. Very lovely miniature with incurved, star-like petals.

**Tick Tock.** White, striped and flecked cherry-red; occasional solid red flower. Large, semi-double with mixed petals and petaloids of full form. Vigorous growth.

**Tomorrow.** One of the most notable of Camellia introductions in recent years. Raised as a seedling by Mrs. Ross Hayes, of Thomasville. Very large, semi-double to loose peony-form flowers, often 6 inches across, sometimes deep pink at the beginning of the flowering season but usually light red. Produced rather freely for a Camellia of its size, on a strong, symmetrical bush with dark green foliage. Like the other Camellias we grow, our plants of Tomorrow are all field grown, on large stocks, and the quality is well above the average.

**Ville de Nantes, Light Strain.** All plants were grown from scions where flowers were mostly white. This does not guarantee absence of some dark flowers, but does give a superior type. Ville de Nantes has been called the world's No. 1 Camellia, for it wins more ribbons than any other variety.

**White Crane.** Pure white, very large, semi-double, with large, crinkled petals and center petaloids that stand up like "rabbit ears." Vigorous, upright growth. In the Thomasville-Tallahassee area year after year it has no superior in any white Camellia, new or old.

**White Empress.** Very large, semi-double, pure white with golden stamens. Fairly early; very hardy for a white Camellia.

**Wildwood.** One of the choicest of recently introduced light pink Camellias. Very large, semi-double to peony form; light rose-pink. Upright, compact growth.

## Join THE AMERICAN CAMELLIA SOCIETY

Annual Membership dues are \$5.00, for which you will receive the instructive Annual issued by the Society, as well as the American Camellia Quarterly. Address American Camellia Society, Box 2398, University Station, Gainesville, Fla.



TOMORROW. Very large and striking



## **Camellia SWEETHEART**

**All-America Winner for 1959**

For those who like formals, here is a very nice new Camellia. Although the South has far greater preference for large semi-double Camellias, nobody wants to throw away some of the good full, imbricated (formal) ones such as Alba Plena, Mathotiana and Pink Perfection. Sweetheart is another in this class.

Sweetheart is fairly large, about the size of Alba Plena, much the same form, and the color illustration pictures it well. Our plants are field grown; some have been put into containers.

2-yr. grafts, field grown, \$12.50 to \$17.50; 1-yr. grafts, \$7.50 to \$10.00 each

## **MANY OTHER *Fine Camellias***

In limited supply, both in sturdy, field-grown and container-grown plants, we have many other choice Camellias, including Alba Fimbriata, Anita, Anita's Triumph, Ann Wahl, Anna Marie, Aunt Jetty, Bride's Bouquet, Brilliant Review, Bryan Wright, Buddy, Chandeli Elegans, Cho-no-Hanagata, Clara Green, Clarice Carlton, Claudia Phelps, Comte de Nesselrode, Conrad Hilton, Coral Pink Lotus, Coronation, Daitairin, Debutante, Don-Mac, Donckelaari, Donna Kaye (Arabella), Duchess of Sutherland, Duchess of Sutherland Pink, Edelweiss, Eleanor Franchetti, Elegans (Chandler), Elizabeth Holmes, Elizabeth Le Bey, Emmett Barnes, Ethel Davis, Eugene Lizze (Lady Jane Grey), Eugenia Howell, Fircone, Flora Hollingsworth, Fragrance, Frank Eidson, Frizzle White, Guest of Honor, Giulio Nuccio, Glen 40, Glen 40 Variegated, Haku-Rakuten, Hazel Herrin, Helen K, Herme, Herme Pink, Irene Coker, Island Echo, Jane Blackwell, J. J. Whitfield, J. J. Whitfield Variegated, Jack McCaskill, Jackie Giles, June McCaskill, Kenny, Kerlerec, King Cotton, Lady Clare, Lady Clare Variegated, Lady Hume's Blush, Lady Marion, Lallarook (Laurel Leaf), Lawrence Walker, Laura Camp, Lynne Woodruff, Margaret Tourje, Mrs. Shepherdson, Miss Frankie, Oneita Holland, Princess Lavender, Queen's Escort, Reg Ragland, Rose Gish, Ruth Blackwell, Shivel Duncan, Stella Sewell, Sunset Glory, Sunup, Wildwood Variegated, Winifred Womack and others.



GEORGIA

CABALLERO  
Three favorite standard Daylilies

RUBY SUPREME

## HEMEROCALLIS - *Daylilies*

The growing of top-quality Daylilies has become quite a specialty with us. We have dropped some of the older varieties in favor of improved ones, and in this catalog we list 70 more varieties than shown in last season's booklet. Some of the older ones, such as Dauntless, Bernice Russell and others, have great merit, and we have priced this group cheap enough for anyone to plant a bed or border of them.

We won't have all the new Daylilies as fast as they appear—nobody does—but we continually add some of the best, to appear in a new list next spring. In the meantime, many fine ones have come down in price, as shown in this catalog. And nowhere in America are better plants grown than here. We will send you fine plants, grown in sterilized soil, free from any pests, and will ship promptly.

All 50c Daylilies are 12 for \$5.00, 6 or more at 12 rate.

All \$1.00 Daylilies are 12 for \$10.00, 6 or more at 12 rate.

All \$1.50 Daylilies are 12 for \$15.00, 6 or more at 12 rate.

All \$2.00 Daylilies are 12 for \$20.00, 6 or more at 12 rate.

In ordering Daylilies as priced above, you may select as desired. For example, in ordering 12 plants you may select as many as 12 different varieties, or any way you wish in that price group.

All Daylilies priced at \$2.50 or more are Net.

Orders for \$3.50 or more to one address are shipped parcel post prepaid. On orders for less than \$3.50, please add 50c for postage.

**Abundance.** (McLeod, 1957.)  
M. Ev. Re. All the name implies. Begins flowering early, repeats till frost. Brazil-red, green throat; opens wide. 50c.

**Adelaide Neiland.** (Taylor.)  
EM. Ev. Re. Persian-lilac, deeper toward green throat; wide petals, completely sun-fast. \$10.00.

**Amherst.** (Wheeler.) M. Ev.  
Large, wine-purple. \$1.00.



**GARNET ROBE**  
No. 14 in latest Popularity Poll

**Angelica.** (Connell.) M. Ev. Soft creamy yellow; large, wide-petaled. A very choice variety. \$2.00.

**Annie Oakley.** (Wheeler.) M. Ev. A reverse bicolor in buff with perfect red circle eye-zone with red dusted sepals. \$1.00.

**Aphrodite.** (Taylor.) E. Ev. Re. Cinnamon-red; greenish throat. \$1.00.

**Arla.** (Wheeler.) E. Ev. Large, stately canary-yellow; wide petals. \$1.00.

**Athlone.** (Russell.) M. Ev. Re. Showy, large rose and gold bicolor. \$1.00.

**Attack.** (Craig.) M. Ev. Re. Cardinal-red; large. Vigorous; prolific. \$2.50.

**Attainment.** (Sutton.) E. M. Re. Violet-red self; large. \$3.00.

**Audubon.** (Connell.) M. Re. Rose-red blend; large. \$3.00.

**Autumn Fires.** (Register.) M. Ev. Very striking orange-red and yellow bicolor. \$3.00.

**Babbette.** EM. Re. Small, very profuse orange. An old variety still valued for arrangement uses. 50c.

**Betsy B.** (Vestal.) E. Ev. Re. Brilliant red with broad petals. \$1.00.

**B. H. Farr.** (Stout.) M. Ev. Large, peach-pink. \$1.00.

**Blond Butterfly.** (Slaughter.) E. Ev. Re. Pale yellow. \$3.00.

**Brocade.** (Taylor.) M. Ev. Re. Amber-rose, darker eye-zone; prolific. \$1.00.

**Brown Jewel.** (Register.) Unique miniature, well named. \$1.00.

**Buddy Slaughter.** (Slaughter.) E. Ev. Re. Semi-dwarf; cinnamon. \$1.50.

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**Butterfly Wings.** (Rice, 1956.) M. Ev. Re. Large, golden yellow self; wide petals; very stiff scape. A most striking flower with an extended season of bloom. \$15.00.

**Caballero.** (Stout.) M. Ev. Re. Showy rose and gold bicolor. No. 32 in Popularity Poll of 100 varieties. 50c.

**Capistrano.** (Milliken.) E. Ev. Bright yellow, recurved petals. 50c.

**Carmel.** (Slaughter.) M. Ev. Re. Clear yellow with tan dusting. \$3.00.

**Cathedral Towers.** (Milliken.) E. Ev. Re. Soft yellow with tan halo; wide petals. This fine Daylily will stay around a long time. \$1.00.

**Cellini.** (Wheeler.) Sulphur-yellow; wide overlapping segments. \$1.00.

**Cibola.** (Hill.) M. D. Large Spanish yellow; consistently good. No. 11 in Popularity Poll. \$1.00.

**Citation.** (Taylor.) M. Ev. Re. Lacquered; small gold throat. A very different and superior variety. \$4.00.

**Claudette.** (Register.) M. Ev. Canary-yellow, tinted cinnamon; low grower. 50c.

**Cluny Brown.** (Taylor.) E. Ev. Re. A bold bicolor—petals brown, sepals clear yellow. Profuse; sunfast. \$6.00.

**Colonel Joe.** (Lester.) EM. D. A 7-inch bloom of light lemon; very wide petals with ruffled edges. Sunfast; remains open nights. \$4.00.

**Colonial Dame.** (Milliken.) M. D. Re. An appealing apricot; wide, ruffled petals and large flowers. Very long season of bloom. No. 10 in Popularity Poll of 100 varieties. \$1.00.

**Concordia.** (Wheeler.) M. Ev. Purple self, toward blue tone. \$2.00.

**Copper Colonel.** (Sass.) M. D. Rosy copper blend; outstanding. \$1.00.

**Cradle Song.** (Milliken.) M. Ev. Cadmium-yellow; very lovely. \$2.50.

**Crepe Suzette.** (Connell.) M. Ev. Re. Large, wide petaled, ruffled, yellow self. Very fine. \$2.50.

**Crimson Glory.** (Carpenter.) E. D. Brilliant red; flower smooth, broad and ruffled. Branches well. A true red that really stands out in any garden. \$2.50.

**Crimson Pirate.** (Sass.) M. D. An intensely colorful carmine-red. \$2.50.

**Dauntless.** (Stout.) M. Ev. Re. Soft golden yellow, faint tan dusting. An old variety, still No. 25 in the latest Popularity Poll. Winner of Stout Medal in 1951. 50c.

**Demi-Tasse.** A nice miniature. Bicolor, orange and yellow. \$1.00.

**Dionysius.** (Landis, 1957.) E. Ev. Re. Dark wine-purple. Tall, erect scapes, branching well; fairly wide-petaled blooms. A valuable new Daylily in its class. \$2.00.

### *An Invitation*

You will derive much pleasure, information and assistance in growing Hemerocallis by joining the American Hemerocallis Society. Mail check for \$4.00 to Mrs. Daisy L. Ferrick, Secretary, 416 Arter Ave., Topeka, Kansas.

All Georgia growers (others are welcome) should be members of the Georgia Hemerocallis Society. Mail check for \$1.00 to Mrs. Ross H. Hayes, Secretary, Monticello Road, Thomasville, Ga.

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**Dixie Gold.** (Connell.) M. Ev. Striking golden self; large. \$2.00.

**Donation.** (Lester.) M. Ev. Re. A 6-inch bloom of medium yellow with a faint tint of rose on edge of petals. \$1.00.

**Doris Mack.** (McLellan, 1957.) M. Ev. Re. Amber-rose, large and outstanding. A Prima Donna × Painted Lady seedling, it is much the color of Brocade but definitely larger. \$10.00.

**Dragon Fly.** (Register.) M. Ev. Showy bicolor—petals rust-brown, sepals chrome. \$1.00.

**Duchess of Windsor.** (Hayward.) M. D. Creamy yellow with light tan halo and dusting. \$1.00.

**Easter Morn.** (Wheeler.) E. Ev. Re. Buff-yellow, dusted rose; broad petals. \$1.00.

**Edward VII.** (Connell.) E. Ev. Large, rich deep gold self. \$2.00.

**Evelyn Claar.** (Kraus.) M. D. Deep pink, with satin finish; low growing. No. 1 in latest Popularity Poll. Everybody likes this pink. \$2.00.

**Flanders.** (Lester.) M. D. Crimson-red; wide petals. \$1.00.

**Frances Wynn.** (Slaughter.) E. Ev. Re. Orange and yellow. \$1.50.

**Friar Tuck.** (Lester.) M. D. Deep, rich golden yellow with mahogany eye-zone. Sunfast and very showy. \$1.00.

**Galahad.** (Lester.) M. Ev. Lovely dark red that takes the sun. \$1.00.

**Garden King.** (Registered.) M. Ev. Re. Dark reddish purple; gold throat. \$1.00.

**Garnet Robe.** (Milliken.) M. Ev. Re. Deep velvety red self. No. 14 in latest Popularity Poll. \$1.00.

**Gay Lark.** (Connell.) Light rose-pink bicolor; stiff scapes, much branching; large flower. Very outstanding. \$5.00.

**Georgia.** (Stout.) M. Ev. Re. Peach-pink; very large, very choice. No. 34 in Popularity Poll of 100 varieties. \$1.00.

**Glory.** (Bechtold.) M. D. Immense; clear yellow. \$1.00.

**Gold Cargo.** (Russell.) E. Ev. Re. A 7-inch, rich gold self. A good increaser, so can be offered at 50c.

**Golden Masterpiece.** (McLeod, 1957.) EM. Ev. Re. A strikingly handsome new Daylily. Dandelion-yellow shading into golden glow toward edges of petals. Narrow ruffled petal edges and sepals recurve with slight twist making an open chartreuse throat. \$10.00.

**Golden Orchid.** (Dennett.) M. D. Very large, showy golden orange self. One of the handsomest of all Daylilies; much admired on our grounds. \$1.50.

**Goldensong.** (Kraus.) M. D. Re. One of our favorites. Heavily ruffled golden yellow with greenish cast. Branches well; blooms profusely. Very choice. \$2.00.

**Golden Triangle.** (Traub.) M. D. Clear yellow; triangular form. Very good. \$2.50.

**Griselle.** (Saxton). M. Ev. Re. A very nice pink now fairly plentiful, so price is down. Bright raspberry-pink, veined darker; sun resistant. Increases fairly fast. \$1.00.

**Hearts Afire.** (Connell.) M. D. A very fine bright red self. One of the best on the market. \$5.00.

**Helen Fischer.** (Taylor.) E. Ev. Re. Soft apricot with lemon throat banded in Egyptian red. \$1.00.

**Henry VIII.** (Connell.) M. Ev. Re. A huge red and yellow bicolor. \$2.00.

**High Noon.** (Milliken.) E. Ev. Re. Orange-yellow; tall and stately; always outstanding. One of the great Daylilies of all time. No. 3 in Popularity Poll of 100 varieties. \$5.00.

**Hobo.** (Sutton.) M. Ev. Very large, orange-red polychrome. \$10.00.

**Invitation.** (Kraus.) M. D. Large blooms of azalea-pink. Flowers are flaring in form; excellent substance. Sturdy scapes. \$4.00.

**Ivory Chalice.** (Nesmith.) M. D. Pale yellow; wide petals; tall and fine. \$1.00.

**Jack Frost.** (Lester.) M. D. A cool, pale yellow self; large, distinctive. \$4.00.

**Jewell Russell.** (Russell.) ML. Ev. Pale lemon-yellow; very good. \$1.00.

**Katharine Taylor.** (Taylor.) M. Ev. Re. Peach-pink with faint halo. Large; sunfast; prolific. \$3.00.

**Kindly Light.** (Bechtold.) M. D. Large, pure yellow spider. \$1.50.

**Lilac Time.** (Wheeler.) E. Ev. Re. One of the nicest pastels. Light yellow and lavender bicolor. \$4.00.

**Little Cherub.** (Claar.) E. D. A genuine dwarf—12 inches. Clear yellow; fine for front border. \$1.00.

## Evergreen or Deciduous

Don't pass up deciduous varieties—those that lose foliage in winter. Some of the finest varieties are deciduous. Try some of both evergreen and deciduous.

**COLONIAL DAME**  
No. 10 in latest Popularity Poll





**NARANJA**  
No. 12 in Popularity Poll  
Awarded 1956 Stout Medal

**Lochinvar.** (Taylor.) EM. Ev. Ember and pompeian-red; large, bold, sunfast flower. \$1.00.

**Lucille.** (Slaughter.) EM. Ev. Re. Large, light yellow. \$1.00.

**Madge Vaughn.** (Slaughter.) M. Ev. Re. A stately beauty. Pale yellow with faint tan halo. Has a 6-inch bloom with wide petals and sepals. Stays open evenings. \$2.50.

**Madrigal.** (Milliken.) M. Ev. Pale apricot with faint rose dusting; ruffled petals; sunfast. A choice Daylily. \$1.00.

**Maestro.** (Connell.) M. Ev. A very striking bicolor, red and yellow. \$1.50.

**Maid Marion.** (Lester.) M. D. Dainty, ruffled, coral-rose. \$1.50.

**Mamie Lake.** (Russell.) EM. Ev. Re. Very large, rose-orchid and lemon bicolor. A splendid Daylily. \$1.00.

**Man o'War.** (Taylor.) M. Ev. Re. A striking 6-inch Brazil-red. \$1.00.

**Marcia.** (Slaughter.) ML. Ev. Yellow, overcast tan; large. \$4.00.

**Marionette.** (Lester.) M. D. Re. Buttercup-yellow; wide mahogany eye-zone. Sunfast; stays open evenings. One of the finest Daylilies from Mrs. "Sunproof" Lester. \$1.00.

**Marse Connell.** (Connell.) ML. Ev. Brilliant red and gold bicolor. \$2.00.

**Meadowsweet.** (Taylor.) ML. Ev. Large, wide flower of lavender-rose with hint of blue. Heavy substance. Branches well. \$5.00.

**Miami Moon.** (Sutton.) M. Ev. Re. Immense, deep yellow self; wide segments. Strong, stiff scapes. Very outstanding. \$5.00.

**Midwest Majesty.** (Sass.) M. D. Very large, medium yellow self. Erect and stately. \$1.50.

**Midwest Star.** (Sass.) M. D. Re. A very lovely, large, cool pale yellow; tall and stately. Consistently wins top show awards in its class. Everyone loves it. \$2.50.

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**Mitchel.** (Slaughter.) ML. Ev. A large, black-red self with extended blooming habit. \$6.00.

**Mimosa Rose.** (Lester.) M. D. Re. Coral-rose; wide petals; fairly large flower. \$1.00.

**Ming.** (Stout.) M. Ev. Re. A superb orange self; wide petals. \$1.00.

**Moon Bell.** (Sutton.) M. Ev. Re. Very large, wide-petaled gold self. \$3.00.

**Mrs. B. F. Bonner.** (Russell.) E. Ev. Re. A very lovely light yellow; wide petals; fragrant. One that will stay around a long time. \$1.00.

**Mrs. Leroy Rogers.** (Lester.) M. D. Large; buff-yellow. \$1.00.

**Nancy Slaughter.** (Slaughter.) M. Ev. Salmon-pink blend; large. Extended bloom. \$6.00.

**Nantahala.** (Taylor.) A strikingly beautiful Daylily. Pale peach with green throat; conspicuous banding of canna-red. \$12.50.

**Naranja.** (Wheeler.) E. Ev. Re. Large orange self; wide petals; sunfast. Opens perfectly, beautiful form. Always a favorite. No. 12 in Popularity Poll of 100 varieties. \$1.00.

**Night Life.** (Register.) M. Ev. Light yellow self; opens late afternoon and remains next day. \$1.00.

**Olympus.** (Wheeler.) M. Ev. Re. Light orange with peach dusting; very large and fine. \$1.00.

**Orange Beauty.** (Sass.) M. D. An orange self of great beauty; branches well. Long season of bloom. \$1.00.

**Painted Lady.** (Russell.) M. Ev. Huge, 8-inch bloom; crimson over yellow, with darker veins throughout. No. 4 in the Popularity Poll. \$1.00.

**Pamela.** (Kraus.) M. D. Broad-petaled, waxy buttercup-yellow. \$1.00.

**Parsifal.** (Connell.) M. Ev. Re. Buff and brown blend; wide petals; branches well. A different and distinctive Daylily. \$2.50.

**Party Gown.** (Milliken.) M. Ev. Striking red-yellow bicolor. \$1.00.

**Peace.** (Register.) M. Ev. Re. Pale yellow; wide petals; large and lovely. \$3.00.

**Peach Blush.** (Lester.) M. D. Large peach-yellow blend; tall and showy. 50c.

**Penelope.** (Taylor.) M. Ev. Congo-pink, chrome-yellow throat. \$1.50.

**Persephone.** (Connell.) M. Ev. Red-orange blend. \$2.50.

**Persis.** (Register.) EM. Ev. Re. Deep red blend. \$6.00.

**Picture.** (Lester.) M. D. Lovely rose-pink; large, flaring flower. \$2.50.

**Pink Bowknot.** (Taylor.) E. Ev. Re. A nice salmon-pink with a heavy ivory mid-rib and light yellow throat. \$1.50.

**Pink Charm.** (Nesmith.) ML. Ev. Soft pinkish ochre. \$1.00.

**Pink Damask.** (Stevens.) M. D. Beautiful, smoothly finished rose-pink self. A truly pink and lovely flower of great refinement. No. 5 in the Popularity Poll. \$1.50.

**Pink Dream.** (Childs.) M. D. Dainty light pink; very lovely. \$3.00.

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**Pink Interlude.** (Nesmith.) M.L. Ev. Rose-pink with deeper veins and light halo. \$7.50.

**Pink Prelude.** (Nesmith.) M. Ev. Deep pink; self except for pale mid-rib. The slightly fluted flower has no salmon shading. Large. One of the best. \$2.50.

**Pompeian Red.** (Milliken.) M. Ev. Re. Deep burnt-orange-red; large. \$1.00.

**Potentate.** (Nesmith.) M. Ev. Pansy-purple with a satiny sheen. A rare color gem. \$1.50.

**Powder Puff.** (Lester.) M. D. Pastel-yellow with slight tints of pink; by afternoon is like flesh-colored face powder. Different and fine. \$2.50.

**Prima Donna.** (Taylor.) EM. Ev. Re. One of the loveliest of pastels. Peach tones; wide petals; stiff scapes. No. 9 in latest Popularity Poll. This famous Daylily ought to sell for \$10.00, but we offer some of the finest plants in the land for \$2.50.

**Prodigy.** (Wheeler.) M. Ev. Unique blue frosted flowers; small but wide-petaled. \$7.50.

**Quincy.** (Taylor.) M. Ev. Re. This breathtaking beauty is a peach-beige; large and wide, with showy reddish purple banding. \$20.00.

**Raven.** (Wheeler.) E. Ev. Re. Dark velvety maroon; strong scapes. Outstanding. \$1.00.

**Red Rock Canyon.** (Milliken.) M. Ev. Re. A tall, majestic orange-red. \$1.00.

**Revolute.** (Sass.) M. D. Re. A superior light yellow with fine form and branching. \$1.00.

**Rising Star.** (Taylor.) E. Ev. Re. Lavender-pink; wide petals, slightly veined. Blooms freely over a long season; fine garden variety. \$2.00.

**Royal Beauty.** (Taylor.) M. Ev. Re. Rose-purple; much branched. \$1.00.

**Royal Toga.** (Register.) M. Ev. Re. A truly fine Daylily. Dark royal-purple self. Strong scapes, large flowers, wide petals. Takes full sun much better than others of its class. A variety of great merit; should be more widely grown. \$1.00.

**Rubaiyat.** (Taylor.) E. Ev. Re. A fine red with no orange or brown overtones. A good "early bird." \$1.50.

**Ruby Supreme.** (Wheeler.) E. Ev. Re. Antique-ruby; greenish throat. \$1.00.

**Ruffled Pinafore.** (Milliken.) M. Ev. Apricot-yellow; soft halo above green throat; wide, ruffled petals. \$2.00.

**Sally O'Neal.** (Taylor.) E. Ev. Re. Pale yellow; large; excellent substance. \$1.50.

**Salmon Sheen.** (Taylor.) E. Ev. Re. A Daylily of superior qualities. Large salmon-pink self; wide petals and strong scapes. Long season of bloom; sunfast; stays open evenings. We like many Taylor Daylilies, but if we could keep only one this would be it. No. 2 in American Hemerocallis Society Popularity Poll. \$1.50.

**Sammy's Minuet.** (Register.) E. Ev. Re. A nice small flower so valued in arrangements. Brownish blend. \$1.00.

**Seminole Chief.** (Lester.) M. D. Bright red; large; very good. 50c.

**Senorita.** (Lester.) EM. D. Soft velvety red; continuous bloomer. Very showy. \$1.50.

**Shalimar.** (Taylor.) E. Ev. Re. Salmon-saffron; wavy petals. \$1.00.

**Sherry.** (Register.) M. Ev. Very low-growing plant; large, light yellow flower. \$2.50.

**Show Girl.** (Wheeler.) E. Ev. Re. Orchid-pink; large; wide petals. A tall, distinctive and enjoyable Daylily. \$1.00.

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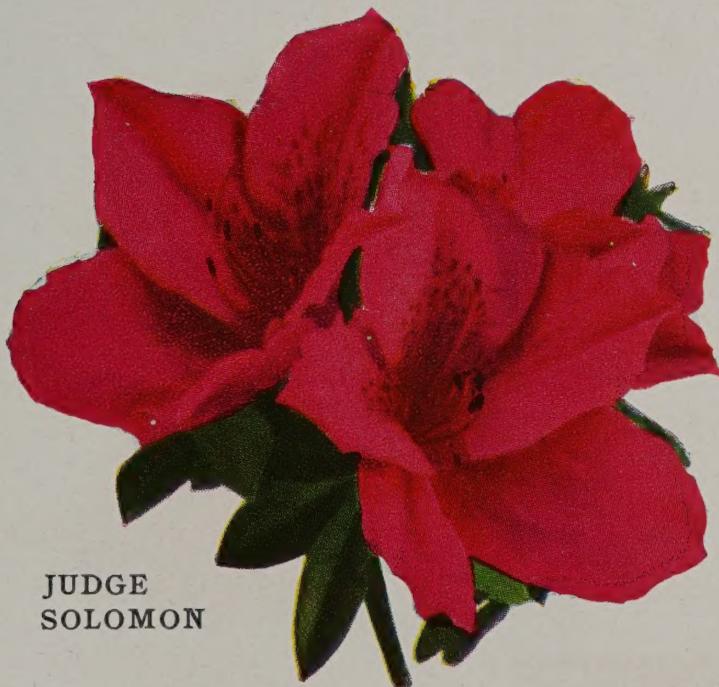
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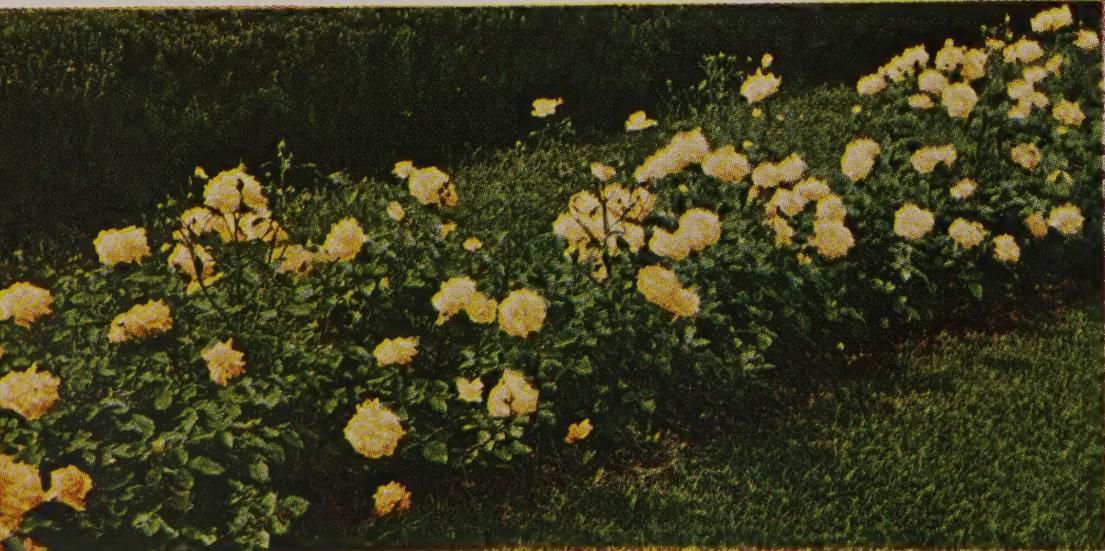
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